

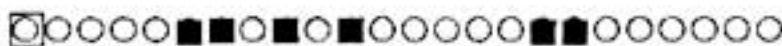
"Attention all students we are taking a trip to the Super Bowl!" announced the teacher. She handed out a paper that read: Dear Parents, our class will be going to Super Bowl 40 next week. This trip will cost two hundred dollars. For more info call me at 555-6349. This was a dream come true! As soon as I got home I jerked out the paper and showed it to my mom. She was so happy that I was going to the Super Bowl at only age fifteen. "Wait!" she yelled. "You can go but you're paying," she exclaimed. By the time she finished the sentence I was already passed out on the floor. The day came. I entered the bus and sat by a friend. We talked all the way there. Then the driver yelled "Welcome to Detroit home of the Super Bowl!" The stadium was packed with five hundred thousand screaming fans. Then late in the fourth quarter the Philadelphia Eagles were ahead by five and the New England Patriots star half-back broke his leg. Then the Patriots head coach walked up to me and said "Would you play as a half-back for me?"

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I screamed "yes!" So he took me to the locker room to get my pads. We was on the one yard line with twelve seconds left. we called a Draw play. I would go through the hole that will be made by the center and left guard. The center hiked the ball to the quarter back he give it to me. I went through the hole as planned. I went about five yards and someone grabbed me. I broke loose and kept going. I finally heard "Touchdown!" We had won the game.

**Score Point: 6**

This response reflects an outstanding degree of proficiency in narrative writing skills. The introduction is effective and engages the reader. The writer displays syntactic variety and facility in the use of language (I jerked out the paper, she exclaimed, and I entered the bus). The writing is generally free from errors in conventions. This well-organized, coherently developed response is strongly concluded (I finally heard, Touchdown!" We had won the game!).



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